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THE WEATHER—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday

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ROAD TO AUSTRIA
IS OPEN GATEWAY

Deep Concern Exhibited In Germany And Hungary Over Lifting Of Last Bar To Gateway From East—Only Secondary Batteries Along Dardanelles Silenced—Sir John French Predicts Early End Of Struggle—Lack Of Ammunition In Germany Is Reported.

London, March 23.—The opinion is expressed by Field Marshal Sir John French, commander of the British forces in the field, that the war will not be of long duration. In an interview with a French correspondent, he says that spring promises well for the allies, and that he believes the Germans are feeling a lack of ammunition.

London, March 23.—The fall of Przemysl is characterized here as the throwing down of the last bar of the gateway into Hungary, and an early Russian advance in that direction is anticipated in England.

POLAND HARD HIT

By Associated Press.

Berlin, March 23.—Damage due to war in Poland and Galicia amounts to \$2,250,000,000, says a report from Cracow. In Galicia, a hundred cities, and not less than 600 villages, have been destroyed. In Poland, over 200 cities and 9000 villages have been destroyed or damaged.

DONAHEY ASKS LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING HIM TO DISMISS OFFICIALS FOR INEFFICIENCY

Associated Press.

Columbus, March 23.—State Auditor Donahey today asked Governor Williams to send a special message to the Legislature, recommending the passage of a law which would permit Donahey to dismiss from office Judge Holland W. Baggott, of the probate and juvenile courts of Montgomery County; Mayor George W. McLeish, lecturer of duty.

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The proposed bill would provide for removal of all public officials who are derelict in their duties.

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Changing With Conditions

The Cameleon—a little reptile which is famous because of its ability to change color to match the surrounding scenery—has nothing on a great many men who change their manner and their attitude to meet every change in condition. They can change too, with a rapidity and a completeness which puts the physical change of the Cameleon in the second class compared with them.

Many men under unfavorable conditions can be and frequently are, so obsequious and servile in their manner as to be absolutely disgusting. The same men when invested with power and authority or put in close touch with those who are in authority become so tyrannical dictatorial and over-bearing in their manner that they become unbearable to their associates.

No where is the man who can change his attitude to meet conditions, more in evidence than in public life, especially in politics are those individuals noticeable.

It is really amazing, at times, to men who make a study of human nature, to see the speed with which the truckler changes to the tyrant.

The advantages of life either in the world of or in the domain of public life do not require any man to bury his self respect and his independence under a mask of servility and neither does an abundance of prosperity warrant a man in changing a modest demeanor for the mein of the tyrant.

Adversity and prosperity furnish the acid test for true manhood. If a man can retain his own demeanor through both extremes he is all right.

If adversity destroys a man's independence or if prosperity enlarges his head he is ready to be catalogued with the counterfeits.

The World's Pioneer Electric Battle Ship

An electric battleship—a superdreadnaught which will be driven by electric motors—will be the latest triumph of electricity.

Within the next two years the first and only electric battleship—the California—will be added to the United States Navy. It will be constructed at the Brooklyn navy yards at a cost of about seven million dollars.

For years past electricians and inventors have dreamed of an electric battleship and these dreams are to be realized and the United States is to have the world's pioneer electrical superdreadnaught.

The California will rank as the largest battleship yet constructed for the United States Navy. She will be 624 feet in length, 97 feet breadth, 30 feet draft and will have a displacement of 32,000 tons. A main battery of 14-inch guns and a torpedo defense battery of twenty-two 5-inch rapid fire guns will contribute to her efficiency as a fighting machine.

The United States has already made a record in new battleship inventions—novelties in which electricity has been the producer of energy and all maritime nations will watch with great interest the launching of the California, the first electric battleship.

Hands of the President Should Be Free In Making Diplomatic Appointments

By ROBERT LANSING, Counselor of the State Department



Photo by American Press Association.

UCCESSFUL diplomacy requires today individual initiative and sound judgment, as it always has. It is the man of force, of originality, of personality, who becomes distinguished in the diplomatic service. ON MEN OF THAT CHARACTER THE SUCCESS OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S FOREIGN POLICIES DEPENDS. THEY MUST ALSO BE MEN WHO COMPREHEND THOSE POLICIES, WHO ARE IN HEARTY SYMPATHY WITH THEM AND ARE ENTHUSIASTIC AND UNTIRING IN CARRYING THEM OUT.

When it comes to the principal posts abroad I am strongly opposed to tying the hands of the president. If we had obtained all our ambassadors and ministers by promotion we would not have had such men as E. J. Phelps and Joseph H. Choate or men like Myron T. Herrick and Brand Whitlock.

SUCH MEN, INEXPERIENCED IN DIPLOMATIC PRACTICE, BUT EQUIPPED WITH QUALITIES WHICH COMMAND RESPECT AND ACHIEVE SUCCESS, ARE THE ONES WHO HAVE BROUGHT LUSTER TO AMERICAN DIPLOMACY.

Diplomacy today is wrestling with novel problems, to which it must apply natural justice and practical common sense. Neutral nations have met a series of problems which have never been solved. The liability of error, the danger of unintentional partiality and the constant complaint of one or another of the belligerents make the path of neutrality uncertain.

Poetry For Today

THE ETERNAL OPTIMIST.

'Tis a sprig av a shamrock I wear in my hat—
Are ye wonderin' what is the meanin' o' that?
Sure, it came a long way from a bit av a fay
In ould Ireland, who sint me a letter the day!

So I'm wearin' it now, an' I think of Kathleen,
Who reclines on the throne av my heart like a queen;
An' that same heart grows glad, though the times are so bad,
For with Kathleen to love him, what man cud be sad?

An' that's what I ask myself when I feel blue;
For I'm needin' a job, an' I'm lone-some-like, too.
For my Kathleen's bright eyes, like Erin's blue skies,
Where the lovelight and laughter and tenderness lies.

But the job will be comin'—I'll not rai'l at Fate,
For there's them that's worse off, with no Kathleen to wait;
An' I'm lettin' you know, the same just goes to show
God is good to the Irish—Indade, He is so!

—New York Times.

Weather Report

Washington, March 23.—Ohio: Unsettled Tuesday; Wednesday probably fair.

Illinois—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy Tuesday; Wednesday fair.

West Virginia—Local snows Tuesday; Wednesday probably fair.

Tennessee—Unsettled Tuesday; Wednesday probably fair.

THE WEATHER

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Monday:

	Temp. Weather.
New York	39 Cloudy
Boston	36 Cloudy
Buffalo	32 Snow
Washington	38 Cloudy
Columbus	36 Cloudy
Chicago	38 Cloudy
St. Louis	36 Snow
Minneapolis	38 Clear
Los Angeles	76 Clear
New Orleans	84 Clear
Tampa	46 Clear
Seattle	62 Clear

Forecast.
Washington, March 23.—Indications for tomorrow:
Ohio—Probably fair.

NATURE herself gives to humanity her choicest treasures when she clothes the world with grass and flowers at Easter tide. This awakening brings a promise of beauty to last for many months. All mankind hails with joy the dawning of the Easter morn. New hopes arise in the deep, hidden springs of the heart, new joys lend brightness to the eye and color to the cheek, and new love radiates the entire being, working its wondrous miracles upon whomsoever it descends. The highest type of love is the unselfish, sacrificing variety, and to attain this unalloyed quality we must give.

Why the Lily Means Easter.
The lily is typical of Easter because of its whiteness and personification of purity. In its natural state it blooms about Easter time in France, its native home.

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Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Paw Knows Everything.
Willie—Paw, can a woman keep a secret?

Paw—She can keep it going, my son.
Willie—Willie, you go to bed.

Advice.
This good advice old Luke commands,
So listen to it, sonny:
If you would always keep your friends,
Just let them keep their money.

The Wise Fool.
A listener never hears any good of himself," observed the sage.
"Not unless he talks into a phonograph," corrected the fool.

Stung, by Heck!
"The government ought to get after them smart city chaps," said St Green as he tore up the letter he had just received.

"What's the matter now?" asked the postmaster.

"I saw an advertisement that said that for \$2 they would tell you how to make butter from grass," replied St Green. "So I sent the \$2 and I got back a card that says, 'After you get the grass ready feed it to a cow and then churn the milk.'"

The Thrifty Widow.

Mr. Editor—I desire to thank the friends and neighbors most heartily in this manner for their co-operation during the illness and death of my late husband, who escaped from me by the hand of death last Saturday. To my friends and all who contributed toward making the last minutes comfortable and the funeral a success I desire to remember most kindly, hoping that these few lines will find them enjoying the same blessing. I have also a good milk cow and a roan gelding horse eight years old, which I will sell cheap. God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform. He plants his footsteps on the sea and rides upon the storm. Also black and white sheep cheap.—A Pennsylvania Exchange.

Names Is Names.
Learned Hand is a judge of the New York district court.

A Sure Cure.
There once was a fellow named Gazzum, Who alarmed all his friends by a spasm, But they gave him to read Luke McLuke's daily screed, And now he almost never has 'em.

—Newark (O.) Advocate.

Thank For the Warning!
KILL THAT FLY NOW.

Hit him in his young and sturdy manhood before he becomes a grandmother thirty-six hours hence.—Rome (N. Y.) Roman.

Huh!
He surely is a lazy pup,
His actions make me frown;
He waits for something to turn up,
And always gets turned down.

The Million Dollar Mystery.

Dear Luke I go to call on a nice girl sometimes I have a friend with me as there is two girls and their mother is allway in the way she seems younger than the girls this is a nice family Please give your idays in Sunday paper as we have a big time reading your idays.—Regular Reader.

Things to Worry About.
The cannibals of New Guinea eat human flesh because they like it.

Our Daily Special.
The wages of sin are publicity.

Luke McLuke Says

The man who isn't known when he gets out of his own house always puts up the loudest holler when a newspaper spells his name wrong.

What has become of the old fashioned grandma who carried her specs on her head and used to say, "Dear me, sus?"

Most of the men folks have a little respect for the aurora borealis. But a woman can wear a pink hat, a yellow coat, a red waist and a green skirt and feel perfectly serene.

The best way to keep a secret is to forget it.

Every man admits that he is foolish at times, but he is always glad that he isn't as foolish as other men.

Some men get hitched and are deeply surprised to discover that they have married chaperons.

Never despise the little things. The flea can bite harder than the elephant.

The man who is always yelping that every man has his price can usually be bought in for 30 cents.

Many a man who is a fire eating bear cat when he is downtown is a week little tumblebug when he gets home.

The man who never speaks ill of women or religion may not have a balled shirt and a pair of kid gloves, but he is a gentleman just the same.

Before he gets her he wonders why nature neglected to give her wings and a halo. After he gets her he discovers why.

The old fashioned man who was known as an old crank now has a son who has a self starting grouch.

When two women happen to hate the same people they are always bosom friends.

Do It Before April 4th

You must list your personal property for taxation as of April 4th, this year. Convert such taxable property as you have into cash and buy our non-taxable securities. You can do so with every assurance of safety, both to principal and interest. None of our 10,000 clients has lost a dollar of principal or interest on investments purchased from us.

When you understand our methods you will know why our stocks are safe. Our free book "Non-Taxable Incomes" explains. Send for it if you are interested, together with our current offering list.

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Former Said to Be Playing For
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This is the
Stove Polish
YOU
Should Use

I T'S different from
others because more care
is taken in the making
and the materials used are
of higher grade.

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Use **Black Silk Air-Drying Iron Enamel** on grates, registers, stove-pipes—Prevents rusting. Use **Black Silk Metal Paint** for silver, nickel or brass. It has no equal for motor automobiles.

"A Shine in Every Drop."

10 YEARS WORE
WOMEN'S CLOTHES

Bridgeport, Conn., March 23.—Lon Polk is a prisoner after several months' intermittent residence in this city, during which time he has successfully impersonated a woman. Of French extraction, thirty years of age, for the past ten years he has lived in America, where he has successfully gone about the streets in female attire. He had worked for a month in a corset shop here with 200 women, who did not suspect his sex. From letters and contracts found in his possession it appears that he was taken for a woman by a vaudeville agent of New York, who booked him as a chorus girl. Mrs. DeForest Durand of New York wrote him as Mrs. Polk on Feb. 27 to take good care of her daughter, who was traveling with an act in which he was booked. He has a wife who lives in Middletown, Conn.

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There's no sense in mixing up a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can so easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole.

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MUSTEROLE gives prompt relief from Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Headache, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chilblains, Frosted Feet, Colds of the Chest (it often prevents Pneumonia).

YOUNG MAN OF NEAR MANARA HELD FOR SUITCASE THEFT

FATHER CALLING FOR SUITCASE AT NEW HOLLAND RAILROAD OFFICE AND AGENT'S PROMPT ACTION, LANDS HARRY A. ZORN, 22, FOR FLIM-FLAM JOB — IS NOW CONFINED IN CIRCLEVILLE JAIL

The agent then communicated with the police at Circleville and a short time later Zorn was asked to accompany the police to Lancaster, where the younger Zorn was located. The father did so and at Lancaster the son was placed under arrest.

The Zorns shipped their few household effects to Lancaster with the expectation of making their future home in that city. Wiley Zorn is the father's name, and the family has been making their home near Manara for some little time.

When returned to Circleville the young man waived examination and his bond was fixed at \$300, but failing to give this he was placed in jail to await action of the grand jury.

The young man had induced Butler to send his suitcase by express, and Butler had a watch, a note for \$275 and a certificate of deposit for \$475. By a clever ruse the suitcase was billed to New Holland instead of to Lancaster. However, the owner of the suitcase became suspicious that he had been tricked, and started an investigation with the above result.

Zorn has served time in the Mansfield reformatory for robbing a dentist's office in Portsmouth, and he is said to be one of the smoothest young criminals falling into the hands of the Circleville officers in a number of years.

Sprenger. A number of other Washington people, whose names will be published later, will take part. The play centers about a young couple with matrimonial intent and their successful efforts in frustrating the designs of "papa." The local police department will be asked to assist in the making of the film.

In an automobile, officials and the principal actors in the play, toured the city Tuesday afternoon, picking out suitable spots for the play and conducting rehearsals. The actual "grinding" of the film will take place Wednesday.

Mr. E. A. Kiefer, formerly with the Mutual Film Company, is the camera man. The play will be put on at the Palace theater about the middle of April, the date to be announced later.

CHERRY HOTEL HAS NEW CLERK

Mr. F. E. Vinton, formerly clerk of the New Troy Hotel, at Troy, O., has accepted a position on the clerking staff of the Cherry Hotel, and will assume his new duties Tuesday

Miss Esther Leland will be seen in the title role supported by Walter or Wednesday.

PUTTING ON A REAL MOVIE IN WASHINGTON

LOCAL PEOPLE ARE TAKING PART IN LITTLE COMEDY FILM SKIT ENTITLED "ESTHER'S ROMANCE" WHICH WILL APPEAR HERE IN APRIL — FRED F. REYNOLDS, FORMER OPERATOR OF AIRDOOME THEATER, IS DIRECTOR.

"Esther's Romance," a photoplay comedy sketch is to be enacted in Washington C. H., and in which local persons will appear in the various roles, will be ground out Wednesday under the direction of Fred P. Reynolds, former operator of the Airdome theater, now director of the Victoria Feature and Film Company of Cincinnati.

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The Palace Theatre PRESENTS TOMORROW

Matinee 2:30. Night—6:30, 7:45, 8:50

LILLIAN RUSSEL IN "Wildfire."



Fifty
Scenes

Five
Acts

Admission, Adults 15c.

Children 10c

FATHER OF LOCAL MAN PASSES AWAY

Mr. W. L. Neal, father of E. M. Neal, rural carrier of this city, died Monday night at 11:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. H. C. Culbertson, in Sabina, after an illness of one week, with pneumonia.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from the Christian church at Sabina and the family will leave with the body for Shelby, O., where the arrival of the youngest daughter of the deceased, Mrs. Will Baird, of Sacramento, Cal., will be awaited before final services at the Shelby mausoleum.

CHECKERS HOLDS STAGE OF SPORTS

With a general laxity in more strenuous sports at this time, the by a stenographer and a copy will surges to the fore in Washington and is gaining a wide popularity. Washington has a number of checker sharps, and not a few promising "comers."

There are several checker camps about the city, but the more aggressive of these seem to be the Odd Barber Shop. This camp boasts the blue ribbon and if jumping five men at a whack is a fair sample of prowess then they have at least one man who is entitled to a chance at the belt.

ALL TEAMS BUT ONE ARE READY

A meeting of the Sunday School Baseball League Commission and representatives of the various churches of the city was held at the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening and it was discovered that all teams but one are ready to begin the season's work.

This team is holding off for some reason or other. It is said it does not like the ruling against professional players and will make a fight against it. The organization this year will be known by its old name. The Twilight League.

BOYS ENJOYED PLUNGE IN POOL

The forty boys who took advantage of the first of the three free swimming lessons of the Y. M. C. A. Monday had a fine time and are all anxious for the next lesson Wednesday morning.

In preparation for these lessons, the pool and water attachments have been put into ship shape; the water in the pool has been heated to a comfortable temperature and the showers are in first class operating condition.

It is expected that the number of boys will be greatly increased at tomorrow's lesson, and special instruction will be given those who failed to get in for the first lesson Monday.

The coupon for Wednesday's lesson appears below.

BOYS! CLIP THIS COUPON

This coupon, when presented at the Y. M. C. A. will entitle any boy, between 10 and 18 years of age, whether a member or not, to take the second free swimming lesson to be given at the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday morning. There will be two more lessons — Wednesday and Friday mornings. Coupon for the Friday lesson will appear in the Daily Herald Thursday.

Name _____

(Sign your full name here)

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In this episode it gives a clue to the clutching hand and the secret passageway in the cellar.

Also a single reel, featuring Broncho Billy—

Broncho Billy's Mission

First Show at 6:30

REPORT CURRENT THAT JESS DENNER MAKES CONFESSION

The report is current that following a visit from his father and mother at the county jail late Monday evening, Jesse Denner, one of the men charged with the murder of John Bainter, had broken down and made a confession of all that he knew concerning a crime that has shocked the entire community.

Inquiry at the court house, of some of the officials said to have been present when the alleged confession was made, elicited no admission as to a knowledge of the confession.

However, it was learned definitely that attorneys Lee Rankin, representing the defendants, had been asked to appear at the jail in connection with a matter of importance.

According to the report, young Denner's confession was taken down by a stenographer and a copy will be retained by State's Attorney Tom S. Maddox.

Whether the alleged confession contains admissions of a damaging character, is not known, but if it should bear out the confession of John Denner's wife, Flora Denner, it would contain the information that Jesse Denner never fired the shot which killed Bainter, but would place the responsibility upon John Denner, leaving Jesse Denner to aid in covering up the crime by assisting in disposing of the body.

STATE FACTORY INSPECTORS HERE

Mr. H. D. Titer, and Mrs. Anne C. McCormick, both of Springfield, and both district deputy inspectors of workshops, factories and public buildings, were in the city Tuesday making inspections.

It is Mrs. McCormick's first visit to this city, and she succeeds Mrs. Augustus C. F. Miller, who for several years past has been the woman deputy visiting this city.

Mrs. McCormick will visit this city each three or four months.

CASE CONTINUES

The East Court street injunction case, Frank A. Chaffin against the city of Washington, was continued in Common pleas court, today, with a number of new witnesses on the stand.

HAS PNEUMONIA

Chas. Kirk, aged about 28 years, well known farmer of near New Holland, is seriously ill, suffering from pneumonia.

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH ANNUAL BAZAAR

Otis Rowe, arrested Saturday night on a charge of drunkenness, faced Mayor Coffey Monday evening, and on pleading guilty was assessed the usual fine of \$5 and costs. He promised to settle and was released on probation.

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Hello Mabel Keystone Comedy featuring Mabel Normand.
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In Social Circles

Mrs. J. F. Dennis complimented with Mrs. A. P. Rusk and Mrs. J. W. Rusk, of Zanesville, and Mrs. Fannie P. Ballard, who came up from Cincinnati Monday evening, with a charming luncheon of lovely spring appointments, at the Cherry Hotel, Tuesday.

The additional guests were Mesdames W. W. Millikan, John Logan, Pearce Ballard and little daughter, Betty Rusk, Gerrie Spragg and Mortimer Clasgens.

The Stutson home was hospitably thrown open to the Monday Bridge club yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Louise Stutson Potter, Miss Stutson and Mrs. Bertha S. Miller filling the role of hostesses in the absence of Mrs. Stutson, who is at French Lick Springs.

The club women found the afternoon one of exceptional pleasure,

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parrett, of Good Hope, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Eyre, of this city, Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Ross comes home from the O. W. U. Wednesday to visit her parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Ross, during the spring vacation.

Capt. and Mrs. W. B. Davis returned to their home in Williamsport Monday evening, after a short visit with their daughter, Mrs. Emmer Edwards and family.

Mrs. Josephine Porter and niece, Martha, were visitors in Columbus, Monday.

Mrs. Taylor, of Jeffersonville, is visiting Mrs. Isaac Upp in Millwood. Mr. Charles Upp, of Springfield, is also visiting his mother.

Mrs. George Anschutz is critically ill at her home on Oakland avenue.

Robert Lanum comes home from the Miami University for the spring vacation Wednesday.

Misses Lillian Barnes and Mabel Coder are spending the spring vacation at the country home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Harve Feagans.

with Mrs. A. P. Rusk and Mrs. J. W. Rusk, of Zanesville outside guests. A delicious collation was served after the Bridge game.

The Elks will enliven spring vacation week with an informal dance at the club rooms Wednesday night. Quite a few college young people will be home to attend it.

Mrs. Richard Ramsey delightfully entertained the Tuesday afternoon Kensington club at her pretty new home. A delectable refection interspersed the gay chat of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mark pleasantly entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Deere and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts and daughter Blanche.

Mrs. Mary Ashcraft, of Wilmington, Mrs. Lulu MacBeth, from Dayton and daughter Cecil, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy MacBeth and family, returning to their homes Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy MacBeth and son Wendel left Monday afternoon for a few days visit with relatives in Springfield.

Mrs. Lilly Breech and daughter Miss Blanche, have returned from Dayton to again make this city their home and are residing in their own home on Briar avenue, Millwood. Mr. Curtis Breech is now holding a position in Texas.

Mrs. Willis Jones, of Mt. Sterling, was the guest of Mrs. Margaret Colwell Tuesday to attend the "Bridge" given by Mrs. Fred B. Creamer.

Miss Jane Saxton arrives from the O. W. U. Wednesday to spend the spring vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Allen, and Mrs. Claude Saxton, who is here from Richmond, Ind.

Mrs. Clarence Craig is spending several days in Greenfield with her mother, Mrs. Henry Deffner, who has returned to her home from the Good Samaritan Hospital, in Cincinnati, very much benefitted in health.

Mrs. Fannie P. Ballard arrived

from Cincinnati Monday evening to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Logan, and also visit her son, Mr. Pearce Ballard and family, and daughter, Mrs. Mortimer Clasgens.

Perrill and Fred Jones were Tuesday guests of Earl and Cary Giddings, in Milledgeville.

Mrs. Will Trevillo, of Roxobel, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Vincent.

Miss Gladys Turnipseed spent Saturday and Sunday in Columbus with her brother, Mr. Harry Turnipseed, who is bookkeeper for the Columbus Bolt and Steel works.

Miss Gladys Butcher spent Sunday in Columbus.

Winchell, Maynard and Harold Craig will spend the O. W. U. spring vacation touring with the University Glee Club in northern Ohio.

Miss Ruth Wilson left Tuesday for Athens to visit Ohio University friends.

Mr. Orville Mallow, of Madison, Wisconsin, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mallow, and Washington friends.

Mrs. Dow Jenkins and Miss Ruth Jenkins, are shopping visitors from Sabina here today.

Miss Olive Hillery is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Marguerite Wilson, on the Greenfield pike.

Misses Louise and Evelyn Dowden, of Sabina, were the guests of Mrs. Tom Maddox while shopping here Tuesday.

Mrs. Myrtle E. Durham has rented one of the residence properties owned by Dr. R. M. Hughey on Paint street and is moving into it from Court street. Miss Carrie Anschutz and neice, Helen Russell, will make their home with Mrs. Durham.

Mrs. Lou Egbert, of Chicago, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Chas. Stafford.

E. E. Ginn returned today from a visit with his father, who has been ill at Jamestown. The parent, aged 80 years, is now improving.

DEATHS

KNEISLEY.

Mrs. Mary Jane Kneisley, 78 years of age, died Monday evening at eight o'clock at the home of her son, John Kneisley, in Jasper township.

The remains will be shipped from this city over the D. T. & I., Wednesday at 11:33, and funeral services will be held and interment made in Labeell, Pike county.

Ladies, when you have those French or louie heels that are run over, bring them to me as I get that artistic curve in the concave that is hard to get unless you know how and have the tools to do it with. Repairing called for and delivered. Bell phone, day 493R; night 173W. Duffee, the Shoemaker. We give rebate stamps.

Brown was apprehended in Lancaster, the local officials notified, and Sheriff Jones went after his man accordingly.

The charges were filed before Judge Allen.

TEN DOGS LICENSED THIRTY ARE KILLED

Within the past few weeks thirty dogs for which no licenses were secured by owners, have been killed, and in that space of time ten licenses have been taken out for dogs whose owners have hitherto made no effort to protect them. The new license tags may be secured from the mayor's office.

Y. M. C. A. EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING

The Educational Committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet at the Association building tonight at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of formulating plans for the summer school work. All members are expected to be present.

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The very kind of a good all-wool suit that you now have in mind. No such whirlwind of Spring Bargain Suits ever swept over our city. They are literally covering this wide expanse with saving opportunities.

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Quite Homelike.

"Does your married life seem home-like, my boy?"

"Oh, yes. My wife's quarrels are exactly like the rows mother used to make."—Chicago News

Lost and Found.
This is either a queer or a dishonest or one-sided world. There are always ten times as many "lost" as there are "found" in the ad. columns.—Detroit Free Press.

Times to Laugh.

A.—Is the old man always so glum as this? B.—By no means. He laughs twice a year, spring and fall, when the women's new hats come in.—Elle-gende Blatter.

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Refreshments served all day. Everyone gets a Souvenir

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New Suits and Gowns For Easter

Just in from New York—Stylish New Suits in Silk Poplins, Poplins, Etc.—All the new colors.

50 Handsome New Dresses

In Pussy Willow Taffeta, Silk Poplins Fancy Suits, Crepe, Etc.—All new.

Popular Prices

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Can't Do It, or Try WHICH?

No one knows what he can do until he tries. You say you can't accumulate money—you can't open an account at the Fayette County Bank? Try it! "The bees said Try—and turned flowers into honey. The squirrel said Try—and went to the top of the tree. The snowdrop said Try—and blossomed in the cold snows of Winter." Which is it going to be with you—"I can't do it," or "I will try." —For there is not one thing in this world can be done without trying. Not one!

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Hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
We pay 3 per cent interest in our
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of Deposit.)

TWO PLEAD GUILTY TO ROBBING FARMER

Cambridge, O., March 23.—Louis Owings and Harry Lutz of Zanesville pleaded guilty to burglarizing the home of John H. Mills, a farmer, on the night of Feb. 23. Tom Clark of Cambridge, who pleaded guilty last week, confessed that the three men were armed with wire cutters instead of revolvers.

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Dr. Hunt Discovers Method that Kills Corn by Penetration. ONLY 10c.

That old corn, that stubborn corn, that soft corn, that sore corn, the corn that *will* come back, you can now get rid of it once and for all, for Dr. Hunt of Sidney, Ohio, has discovered the scientific principle that makes corn go easily and painlessly.

Dr. Hunt's New Corn Cure does its work by penetration. That is Nature's own way. Goes to the very root of the corn. Corn lifts out, root, body and branch in two days.

No paring. No dangerous caustic ingredients. No liquids to dry out. No bulky pads or greasy salves. Dr. Hunt's New Corn Cure comes in ready-to-apply plaster form. Trim plaster exact size of corn and apply. More than two applications are seldom necessary for the most stubborn case. Your corn eases up at once. The soothing penetrating ingredient works without discomfort. In two days you have no corn. This is a doctor's discovery. The result of life-time study.

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ALLIES' FINANCE MINISTERS MEET.



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Historical conference in the cabinet rooms at Paris. From left to right are M. Bark, Russia; M. Ribot, France, and David Lloyd-George, England.

TURNER RENDERS OPINION

Holds All the Emergency Laws
Improperly Passed.

AFFECTS IMPORTANT MEASURES

thirds vote only on the emergency clause. The leaders will not try to repass the oil inspection bill by the Turner procedure nor repass any other emergency bill. But on the Bechtler bill it was claimed that Turner held the trump card. He is the legal adviser of eighty-eight prosecuting attorneys. The Republican leaders decided the way to prevent any precedent getting into the record was to reconsider the vote by which the house last Wednesday concurred in the senate amendments to the Bechtler bill, with the understanding that the senate will not ask for a conference committee, the result being the death of the bill.

The course of the Republicans was disclosed in the senate. The question of concurrence in the house amendments to the oil inspection bill was on the calendar, but adjournment was taken without action on this bill. Whittemore, majority leader of the house, said the oil bill would not be repassed by two-thirds vote, but would be signed by the governor and the courts left to pass on its validity.

ELECTION BILL IN.

Senator Wickliffe's bill, providing complete and radical revision of election laws, which it is claimed will work a saving of more than \$500,000 annually, made its appearance in the senate. In all counties, excepting Cuyahoga, Hamilton, Franklin, Lucas and Montgomery, the number of county deputy supervisors is cut from four to two, and provision is made for only one registration during a lifetime unless the voter fails to vote at two consecutive elections. Registration is to be kept on a card index system. The board of vital statistics is to notify election boards of the deaths of voters before elections.

In Cuyahoga and Hamilton counties the four deputies will receive \$2,000 each and the chief clerk \$3,500; in Franklin, Lucas and Montgomery counties the deputies will receive \$1,800 each and the chief clerk \$2,500; in counties of more than 100,000 population and less than 150,000, the deputies will receive \$1,200 each and the chief clerk \$1,800; counties of more than 50,000 and less than 100,000, deputies will get \$500 and the chief clerk \$1,200; more than 25,000 and less than 50,000, deputies \$400 and chief clerk \$900; less than 25,000, deputies \$200 and chief clerk \$600.

MAURER'S PAY HELD

COLUMBUS, March 23.—The state civil service commission announced that it had refused to approve the salary of H. C. Maurer, acting superintendent of the state school for the blind, for the month ending March 15, and that it will continue to refuse to approve the salary in the future. The board of administration, which has direct charge of the election of superintendents, has so far refused to elect Professor J. Frank Lumb, who was certified for the position several weeks ago, and the fight between the two boards is on. "I suppose," said Chairman Hoskins of the civil service board, "that the question will have to be threshed out in the courts. Professor Lumb passed the examination with very high grades, and this commission only followed the law in certifying his name to the administration board, whose duty it is to elect him."

Leaders Disregard Ruling.

Conferences were held in the governor's office to deliberate on the situation. At each meeting were the speaker, the two floor leaders of the majority, Senator Howard and Representative Whittemore, also Senator Moore and other members. It was decided not to follow the advice of the attorney general and not to change the method of taking a two-

MAN FOUND DEAD MONEY IS MISSING

Manchester, O., March 23.—Peter Dower, sixty-five, was found dead on the railroad track by a section crew. His body was badly mutilated. He drew his month's pay, but no money was found on his person.

Do Not Gripes

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Ser-vus	8c box	HONEY
Red Bird	8c box	Fancy Colorado...20c section

POTATOES a little higher. 15c pk. 30c half bushel. 55c bushel		Tomatoes...10c pound
		Onions...2 bunches 5c
		Radishes...2 bunches 5c
		Celery...2 bunches 15c
		Spinach...10c pound
		Cucumbers...10c each
		Fancy Navy Beans 6 1/2c pound
		Lunch Beans...8 1-3c pound
		Parsnips...3c pound
		Onions...2c pound
		Cabbage...2c pound
		Turnips...1 1/2c pound

Grape Fruits 10, 7, 5 and 4 for 25 cents.

Oranges 12c, 15c, 20c and 25 cents per dozen.

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OHIO BRIEFS

Single Tax Proposal Launched.

Columbus, March 23.—Representative Young of Cuyahoga county offered a resolution in the house for submission of a single tax amendment to the constitution. The Young proposal is to apply the exclusive tax on land values to raising revenue for local government on a referendum of each taxing district. It proposes to amend the constitution to permit the municipalities, townships and school districts to raise all their revenue by means of the single tax, namely, a tax on land values alone, irrespective of buildings and other improvements on the land, abolishing all other forms of taxation.

Advices received from Mexico indicate that an engagement between Villa and Carranza of considerable importance can not be long delayed. Villa forces are reported approaching the Carranza territory from three directions. Their forces are on the way to Progreso, in the state of Yucatan, and they are moving towards Vera Cruz and Tampico, in the state of Vera Cruz.

That the first chief is desperately concerned over the advance of the Villistas is indicated in dispatch received at the state department, in which Carranza branded as "maliciously false" the statement that he was preparing to take French leave of Vera Cruz, and denying further that the "reactionaries," as he described the Villistas, had invaded the state of Vera Cruz.

Following the receipts of these advices the state department announced that Villa forces had occupied Tuxpan for nearly a week. Tuxpan is midway between Vera Cruz and Tampico and is the second important oil port on the east coast of Mexico. Carranza apparently plans to force the issue with his enemies at Tampico.

Seek Seybold's Pardon.

Akron, O., March 23.—Petitions addressed to Governor Frank B. Willis asking the parole or pardon of Carl Seybold, former Akron police court clerk, now serving a sentence of from one to ten years in the Ohio penitentiary for embezzlement of city funds, are being circulated and numerously signed.

Willis Announces Appointments.

Columbus, March 23.—Governor Willis announced the following appointments: Members of state medical board, Dr. S. M. Sherman, Columbus; Dr. G. K. Scudder, Cincinnati; member of state blind commission, Murray Seasongood, Cincinnati.

Fatal Fall.

Napoleon, O., March 23.—Losing his balance while sitting on the guard railing, Jasper Strubel, former night officer, fell twelve feet into an open business entrance of a local business house. His skull was fractured. He will die.

Two Dry, One Wet.

Columbus, March 23.—A close election in Convoy, Van Wert county, resulted in a dry victory, 157 to 105. Wetts were victorious at Lebanon by 54. At Franklin, O., the drys won by a majority of 34.

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CRACOW
IS OPEN****Capture of Przemysl Held of Great Importance.****LIBERATES BIG RUSS ARMY**

Fall of the Austrian Fortress Makes a Force of About 50,000 Austrians Prisoners of the Czar—London and Petrograd Rejoice Over the News of the Russian Victory in the Eastern War Zone.

London, March 23.—The capitulation of Przemysl, the strong Austrian fortress in East Galicia, came when Generals Pitik von Ruden, commander of the infantry forces, and General Hermann von Kusmanek, commander of the artillery and the forts, signed through messengers through the

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FOR RENT—Half of double house, corner Hinde and Market. Citz phone 250. 66tf

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FOR RENT—5 room house, gas, electric lights, city and soft water, basement. \$10. Inquire Bentz's Grocery, Paint street. 62tf

FOR RENT—One-half of modern double house on S. Main street. F. C. Mayer, Citz. phone 768. 46 tf

FOR RENT—House of six rooms, double; gas, hard and soft waters. Vandeman St. Harry Fitzgerald. 43 tf

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—1 bay horse, 9 years old, weight 1100 lbs. \$110. 1 bay mare 13 years old. \$50. Martin Harris, on Lines farm. Enquire Adam Beck. 68t6

FOR SALE—Four room house; good lot, on Wilson street. Price \$100. John Houston. 67t6

FOR SALE—Coat suits, dresses and shirt waists. 128 North street; Citz. phone 196. 67t6

FOR SALE—One Percheron Stallion, 10 years old, extra good breeder. A bargain if sold soon. Address J. P. Watt, Greenfield, O. 64t6

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DESCRIBES METHODS OF MODERN ROAD BUILDING

FRANK M. KENNEDY DISCUSSES ROAD CONSTRUCTION, BEGINNING WITH FIRST EFFORTS TO LIFT FAYETTE FROM THE MUD AND ENDING WITH THE DAWN OF THE BRICK ROAD ERA.

"Modern Road Construction" is the theme chosen by Mr. Frank M. Kennedy, of this city, former president of the Ohio Engineering Society, for a discussion of the county's roadways from the time when the genuine "mud road" (with accent on the emissaries for both sides are traversed as often as a half dozen times. The workers for the improvement, in order to get signatures on the petition would resort to many questionable methods. The most common scheme was to agree to pay the assessment. On the other hand the remonstrators would go them one better by offering a money consideration if they would sign the remonstrance. A name thus secured would usually stick for the reason that a bird in the hand, etc.

The day for the hearing comes. The advocates of better roads finally triumphed and at the end of 15 to 20 years (about 1885) the county was blessed with 300 miles of fine improved roads which advanced the value of the land along them and put the farmer closer (in a way) to market, school and church.

About the time of the completion of this system of roads, the people living along the line of the less important Fayette county roads were wondering how they could get to the roads which they had helped to build. They were not able to secure the signatures of the owners along the improved roads because of the selfishness of the latter; their road was built and they could see no reason why their land should be assessed for a road that did not run through, by or near their own land. There was nothing left for the side road fellows to do but get busy; by appealing to the township trustees for aid and by donations from individuals. In this way the 400 miles of less important roads in our county were constructed.

In early days no general plan was used; whenever the road became impassable the place was spanned with what was known as a "corduroy." The country was then full of timber; the small trees were cut and laid cross-wise of the road which served the purpose in a measure. The modern vehicle would have had rough sailing at a speed of 20 to 30 miles per hour over the roads which many of us well remember.

In the latter part of the sixties, with the advent of the buggy with springs a better and more advanced method of road construction was adopted. Just beneath the soil all over the country there was an abundance of good gravel—why not grade up the roadway—make ditches on each side and in the center put on a heavy coat of gravel?

Acting upon this thought the State Legislature was appealed to and there was evolved the one and two mile assessment plans which were operative in the following manner:

The people along the line of a road desiring to improve the same, would prepare a petition to the County Commissioners. If the road was to be improved under the two mile assessment plan, all persons resident owners of any lot or parcel of land lying within two miles of the proposed road measured in any direction, would be entitled to a vote. Like all new ideas of a public nature this plan met with a great deal of opposition.

A remonstrance would be circulated before a dozen names were secured to the petition. This would stir up bad blood and the fight was on. The last signature of the land owner was the one that counted and in the purpose of devising a plan to see many cases persons would sign the cure legislation which, it was hoped, petition and the remonstrance al-

would soon restore our roads.

S. S. Cockerill & Son

Groceries and Queensware

EXTRA FANCY ROME BEAUTY AND BALDWIN APPLES 40c and 50c peck

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

1½ quart Aluminum Sauce Pan
regular price 55c; special, 33c each

4-quart Aluminum Windsor Kettle
with lid; regular price \$1.40; special \$1.05 each

Yellow and White Onion Sets 8c pound

One-half Gallon Glass Pitchers - 25c each

This is an unusually good pitcher for the money and very practical for every day use.

In 1904 the State Highway Department was formed and Colonel Sam Huston was placed in charge. He organized the Department and with the small amount of money placed in his hands constructed some experimental roads. During Governor Harris' administration he died and James C. Wonders, of Bellefontaine, was selected as his successor.

The Legislature was more liberal now and it furnished Mr. Wonders with enough means each year for four years to construct several miles of road.

At last it dawned upon the advocates of better roads that the promiscuous construction of a short stretch of road here and there over the state would never do and with a determined effort they secured from the Constitutional Convention in 1912 the right to submit an amendment for a bond issue of fifty million dollars. This was defeated at the election of September 3, 1912.

I firmly believe that if a system had been worked out such as we have at present the bond issue would have carried by an overwhelming vote.

In 1913 another appeal was made to the Legislature. This time sufficient funds were made available for the Highway Commissioner to prepare a system of Inter-County and Main Market Roads. At the same time a law was passed whereby a petition signed by fifty-one per cent of the frontage along the line of a road could be presented to the County Commissioners and if acted upon favorably by them would be transmitted to the State Highway Department and the road would be constructed by the Department, provided, however, that funds were available for that purpose.

Fifty per cent of the cost of same paid by the state; twenty-five per cent paid by the County; fifteen per cent paid by the township in which the road was located and ten per cent by the abutting land owners. This law, with some modifications, is still operative.

At this point the map showing the Inter-County and Main Market System of roads was used.

This map shows the Inter-County and Main Market System as planned by the State Highway Commissioner in 1913. It embraces a total of ninety-four hundred miles of the principal roads of the state.

The red lines indicate the Inter-County and the blue lines the Main Market Roads.

Seven thousand miles of the former and twenty-four hundred of the latter.

This would seem like an enormous mileage and so it is. One hundred miles of this system is located in Fayette county and represents about one-seventh of the road mileage of the county which is a fair average for the other counties of the state.

The speaker here showed a section of the three general types of roads.

In modern Road construction as applied to our county roads there are three general types: the Brick road, the Concrete road and the Macadam road. The relative durability and cost of each is in the order named.

The manner of construction briefly and generally speaking is as follows:

Brick Road — The sewers and bridges are first constructed or repaired. The grading of that portion of the roadway upon which the new material is to be placed is properly graded to conform to the cross section and profile prepared by the engineer. In the meantime the curb, which is constructed of stone or concrete, 5 to 7 inches thick and 16 inches deep, is placed a little below the grade for the outer edges of the brick. That portion of the roadway which is to be bricked is then thoroughly rolled with an 8 to 10 ton roller. Upon this prepared base a 5 to 7 inch course of concrete is placed; or as is more frequently used, 6 to 8 inches of gravel which is rolled to a firm foundation.

Upon the concrete or gravel is placed 2 inches of sand which again is rolled with an ordinary hand lawn roller. The work is then ready for the brick. After the brick are placed and rolled the voids in the same are thoroughly filled with a thin cement grout or asphalt. The work is then allowed to stand undisturbed for 2 or 3 weeks, then the berms and side ditches are constructed. Care is taken throughout the process to keep each successive course up to the true cross section.

The same general methods are employed in the construction of the concrete road, except that usually no concrete or stone curb or edging is used and the foundation or base, only is rolled.

The process differs somewhat in the construction of the Macadam road. If the broken stone on the road is to be 5 inches thick, after the base is thoroughly rolled about 6 inches of the broken stone is placed and rolled; screenings or stone dust is then applied and the rolling continued until all the interstices are com-

Markets

Close of Markets Today

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, March 23.—Hogs—Receipts 20000—Market weak—Light

workers \$6.60 @ 6.85; heavy workers

\$6.35 @ 6.82 1/2; pigs \$5.25 @ 6.50.

Cattle—Receipts 3000—Market

steady—Native steers \$5.80 @ 8.75;

western steers \$5.35 @ 7.40; cows and

heifers \$3.00 @ 7.75; calves \$7.00 @

10.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 14,

000—Market slow—Sheep, natives,

\$7.10 @ 8.15; lambs, natives \$7.60 @

9.90.

Pittsburg, March 23.—Hogs—Receipts 1000—Market steady—Heavy

workers \$7.70 @ 7.75; light workers

\$7.40 @ 7.50; pigs \$7.00 @ 7.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 300

Market steady—Top sheep \$8.50;

top lambs \$10.50.

Calves—Receipts 50—Market

steady—Top \$10.50.

Chicago, March 23.—Wheat—May

\$1.55 1/2; July \$1.23 1/2.

Corn—May 73 3/4; July 76 1/4.

Oats—May 59 3/4; July 54 1/4.

Pork—May \$17.42; July \$17.87.

Lard—May \$10.22; July \$10.50.

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Berlin, March 23.—The latest Russian invasion of Germany is said at Berlin to have met with the same fate as its predecessors. Today's official communication contains the announcement that the Russian forces which captured Memel, East Prussia, have been driven back, and that German troops pursuing them across the border, have captured the Russian town of Krottingen. The Russians are still on the offensive in northern Poland.

Fell Into River.

Gallipoli, O., March 23.—Charles Bodimer, thirty, a lock tender at dam No. 26, fell into the river and was drowned. His body has not been recovered. His home was at Chambersburg, near the dam.

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